

RATION BOOKS

HERE is a suggestion for your Christmas gift list. Give someone a BANK OF AMERICA CHRISTMAS MONEY ORDER...

Gasoline rationing regulations require that anyone finding a ration book must within five days surrender it to a local ration board.

We just used to call the speeder a fool—now we call him a traitor!



This year the holiday season finds millions of our fellow-citizens in the armed forces, millions more in the factories and shipyards who serve those gallant men at the front.

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"The Victory Loan Drive is on—will you invest in our National security through the new Victory Loan?"

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Roses Queen With Court



Festooned with posies the seven finalists in the Pasadena Tournament of Roses queen contest sit for the first of innumerable pictures, which will be taken of them before the actual pageant, Jan. 1.

Assembly of God Arranges Christmas Programs Dec. 20-21

The usual Sunday school Christmas program of the Assembly of God church will be given Sunday night, Dec. 20, at 7:30 o'clock.

Monday, Dec. 21, an all talking color motion picture, "The Saviour is Born" will be presented.

TRAVELER HOME

Mrs. Frances B. Clark has recently returned from a four months' visit to eastern cities. Her itinerary included Lubec, Me.; New Brunswick, Canada; Boston, Buffalo, New York and Chicago.

ENJOY REUNION

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Lincoln recently entertained as their house guest, Mrs. J. H. Redding of Cleveland.

church is located at 1741 Border ave.

Police Radio, One Year Old, Proves Worth

Now one year old, the Torrance police two-way radio is such an asset Chief John Stroh says he doesn't know how the city got along without it.

"If I had to choose between the radio and losing five men from the force, I believe it would be easier to lose the men," he said, recalling that Torrance got its long-sought police radio equipment the day before Pearl Harbor.

Put into operation the Saturday afternoon before that fateful Sunday, the radio paid for itself in the first week of operation, the department believes.

Officers Have Licenses Before Pearl Harbor, Torrance patrol cars carried receiving sets only which were tuned to the Los Angeles police wave length.

After one year of operation, the Torrance radio has proved invaluable in speeding up ambulance calls to accidents, obtaining additional police help when needed, and coordinating police and fire department activities, Stroh declares.

Every Torrance police officer who works in a car must have a third class radio operator's license and a qualified technician keeps the police radios in good mechanical condition.

New Kiwanis Officers To Attend 'School'

Officers-elect of the Torrance Kiwanis club, headed by James Rahl, who will serve as president in 1942, will attend a school of instruction at the Beverly Hills hotel next Sunday, Dec. 20.

Donations of articles for "service packets" to be given men in the armed services are wanted by the Torrance branch of the American Red Cross.

Self-Hypnosis Demonstration



New York doctor, William H. Gardner, right, and Andrew Salter, auto-hypnotic technician, shown here checking effects of self-hypnosis on Anne Metzger, who proved to their satisfaction she had shut out simulated battle sounds and actual pain sensations.

Narbonne Service Flag Honors 324 and Has Four Gold Stars

A service flag honoring 324 Narbonne students and graduates were placed this week in the lobby and Mrs. Gladys Pangborn, clerk and secretary of the alumni, expects to add many more names to the record when she finishes checking various sources of information in regard to enlistments and inductions.

A flag made in the school but with so many pupils working at part-time jobs, it was decided to purchase the flag, which is of red, white and blue satin, with gold fringe and cord.

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Red Cross Asks Gifts for Service Packets' Contents

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Council Boosts Workers' Pay and Employs Three More Men

Because of the increase of his duties resulting from gasoline rationing, the city council voted to boost Jack Hudson's pay to \$155 per month as of Dec. 1. He is employed at the city yard.

COLD 666 USE 666 666 TABLETS, SALVE, NOSE DROPS

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long list of names to which additions are being made almost daily. Considering that Narbonne high school graduated its first class in 1926, and that the old Lomita high school had but three small graduating classes; in 1922, 1924 and 1925, the high school record for service is unusually high.

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SPECIALS FOR THIS WEEK CAL-SEC, PINK OR WHITE LABEL CHAMPAGNE Fifth \$1.41 GLENMORE SILVER LABEL, KENTUCKY, 4-YEAR-OLD STRAIGHT BOURBON WHISKEY Pint \$1.57 Quart \$3.08 T. W. SAMUEL'S—ESTABLISHED 1844 Ky. Straight Bourbon Whiskey Pint \$1.82 Quart \$3.56

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